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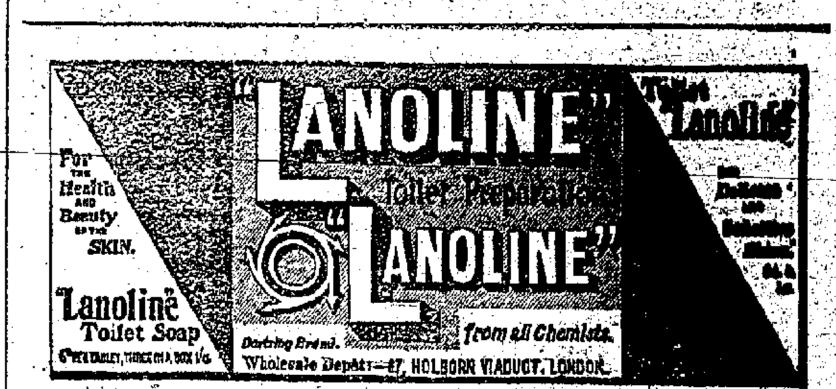
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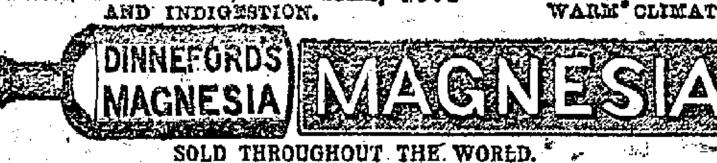
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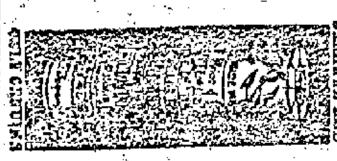




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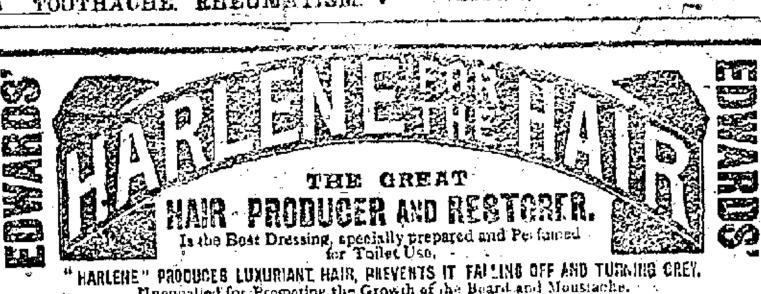
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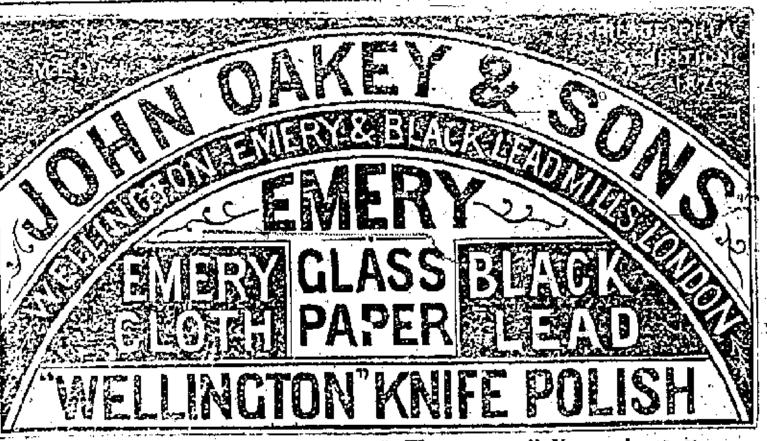
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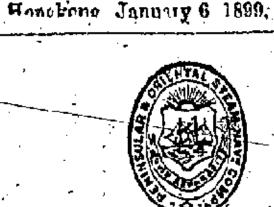
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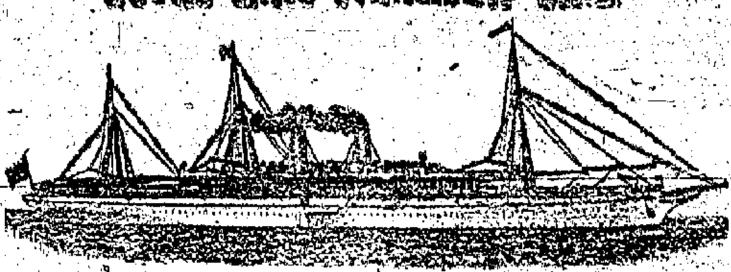
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PROJECTED SALLINGS FROM HORGEORG-SUBJECT TO ALTERATION. Sailing Dates. Destinations ERATTLE Wash., U.S.A., Via | Kuss, Yoschia, B.C. INSHIU MARU. Jan. at 4 p.m.

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The M. M. Co. a a. s. Sydney, with the FRENCH MAIL of the 30th Dec., left Salgon on Thursday, the 26th Jan., at 5 mm. and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the SOth Jan. This Packet brings letters despatched from Hongkong on the 20th Nov.

The P. M S S. Co.'s a. s. China, with mails &c., from San Francisco to the Yokohama, and will leave for this port on the morning of 28th Jan... Inland Sea, Kobe, Naganiki and

The O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Doric, with mails do. left San Francisco for this port yia Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland See, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai on the 17th Jan.

### Steamers Expected.

The s. s. Glenesk, from London and Straits, left Singapore for this port on the 2 th Jan. The O. S. S. Co sistr. Dardonie, from

Liverpool, left Singapore on the morn-

oil here on or about Friday, the 27th The C. N. Co.'s steamer Chingle, from Australian ports, left Port Darwin on the 18th Jan. for this port, via Manlla, and may be expected here on or

about Sunday, the 19th Jan. The P. & U. Co. a s. s. Bombay left Singapore for this port on the 24th Jan.

The O. S. S. Co 's str. Antenor, from Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore on the morning of 25th Jan., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the SOth Jan.

The N. P. Co. & c. s. Piotoria has arrived at Yokohama, and sails for Kobe and Hongkong on the 26th Jan, Tho H. A. L. steamer Suevice left Hamburg for Hongkong, &c., via ports of call on the 80th Dec., and may be ex-

brusry next. The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Tacoma sailed from Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 18th Jan.

### Latest Advices.

The Imp. German Mail e. S. Sachsen, carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 9th Jan., left Colombo on the afternoon of the 27th Jan., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 8th Feb. The Imp. German Mail s. s. Hohenzollern syngocont ou Thursday, the Cost

Jan , at 4 pini., and may be expected. here on or about Monday, the 30th The Ben steamer Benmohr, from Leith, Antwerp and London, loft Singapore on the 27th Jan., for this port.

ing of 28th Jan., and is expected to arrive here on the 1st Feb.

gow etc., passed the Canal on the 17th Jan., and may be considered

Imp. German Mail a. s. Preussen left. Shanghai on the 28th Jan., a

rely upon the newspapers for guidance, whether football or tire reform movement in public!

WE are informed by Messra John D. Humphreys & Son, General Managers of The Queen Mines, Limited, that they have received the following telegram from the Mines :- 'Queen Mine west cross out (at feet wide, an average sample assayed 33 dwie, to the ton."

Several copies of the new Canadian 2-cent | October, and commenced work on 1st Nov., stamp (to celebrate the advent of the In- 1898. On 26th January, Captain Quail re-. perial Penny Postage) have been sold in ceived a letter from the firemen and one the Colony for 25 cents per copy. We from the sailors intimating that they in understand that the issue is to be with- tended to leave next day, and asking that Jardine, Matheson & Co., has been elected drawn-the red-coloured specimen not their wages be paid. The same day the M.P. for Epsom, in the Conservative incommending itself to the Powers that be- men strik work. The Captain summoned terest, unopposed. Mr Keswick replaces and that, of course, will soon make the the men to appear at the Harbour Office to- Mr Thos. Bucknill, Q.C., who has been "sasue very rare.

Our French friends have no sense of hu- land intimated that the men were under the arrival of a steamer from France with a four hours notice and they would be releas. much fuss in the Dreyfus case), the Paris Newcastle? The steamer is the Marco nothing to do with the breaking of the en. Russian affairs. Russia some years ago, was 12th November with coal for the French He sentenced each of the men to seven days' partial supervision of Russian military exname of Kinsembo (1), she belouged to the Year in Hongkong. British and African Steam Navigation Co., and carried the late Prince Imperial Piano Tuning and Repairs, New Music. from England to meet his death in Zululand. The cabin occupied by the imperial prince has been last untopened. The Moree is expected to go to Saigon to load a cargo of rice for Hongkong

VESSELA AV THE DOCKE SHAD KOMOON. H.I.G.M.S. Kaleer Boothdale, H.I.G.M.S. Isla de Luzon, Monmouthabire, St. Ensch. Columbia.

Andria S.D. Cariton (Italia Abrilla -- Nate.

On Thursdays, the 2nd and 16th February, (No. 1) will be submitted. A Bill sniftled Lady Blake will be 'At Home' at Gevera: | an Ordinance to amend and consolidate the mont House.

Tan American authorities in Manila hav until further notice prohibited the use code or accret language in telegrams exchanged with that place.

D'Aro's Marionettes ouen at the Bi Theatre at West Point Bright. An attracwould call attention to the change in prices advertised by the management.

In to-night's issue, we publish the first of spries of five articles on Viceroy Chang Chih-tung's recently-published book dealing with the proposals for reform in China. (lur contributor's articles will be valuable to those who are following closely the ten-7th Jan., via Honolulu, has arrived at | dency fowards reform in this interesting country is showing how one of the most Chinese officials approaches the subject.

Le Courrier d'Haiphong reports the death at Langson, under suspicious circumstances, of a young Frenchman named Morizot, who had been employed until recently in Haiphong. Whilst in a state of inebriety, Morizot quarrelled with another youth named Evin, and it is supposed that Evin murdered him by beating him about ing of 22nd Jan., and may be expect- the head with a heavy stick. Evin, who is only nineteen years of ago, is under arrest.

> In chronicling the death of a young lieutenant at Halphong on the '14th inst., Le Courrier d'Haiphong passes some strong criticisms on the French transport service. M. Caron du Rost was a second lieutenant in the 10th Marine Infantry, and was landed from the Cholon suffering from typhoid fever. Numerous cases of typhoid have occurred in the transports between France and the French Colonies during the trooping season.

THE Hon. John Barrett, who is passing proted here on or about the 14th Fe. through Hongkong on his way to India, has consented, at the request of the Odd Volumes Society, to deliver a lecture on Wednesday next, at 5.15 p.m., in the St Andrew's Hall. The meeting is open to the general public, and ladies are invited. Mr Barrett, who represented the New York Journal in the campaign against Mahila for some years the post of United States Minister at Bangkok, and he has recently been staying some months in the Philipping Talanda ....

In another column we reproduce a letter dealing with the grant to the School of Tropical Diseases. Our correspondent makes The N. Y. K. s. s. Kamakura Maru left what appears to us to be a very sensible By a dexterous and far-sighted move, the Shimonoseki for this port on the morn- and practical suggestion. The word 'Ins- house property of Hongkong has been a titution,' which he uses, may at first sight syndicated that it has become a virtual mono-. The C. M. Co.'s str. Mosture, from Glas- seem very formidable and forbidding; but we take it that a department of the present due at Singapore on or about the 5th Medical Service of the Colony would meet | gradually applied until, it almost seems, an all requirements. There is, as our corres- Ordinance will require to be passed by pondent says, a bacteriological establish order of the Imperial Government giving noon, and may be expected here on ment at Saigon; there is also another at or about Monday evening, the 30th | Nhatrong (where Dr Yersin first cultivated | Hongkong. One effect of this monopoly the anti-plague serum) and there is a proposal on foot to have another establishment A STRANGER dropping into Hongkong, with- at Hanoi. We hope the Government will Provident Society should be of help to nut any previous knowledge of the place, give this suggestion their consideration, would find it difficult to tell, if he were to and if the necessary installation of instru- property owners and landlords. ments, etc., can be set up at a comparatively small cost, as we are given to understandy China most engaged the attention of the they could be, then it might be found a profitable investment for Hongkong to have its bacteriological institute-or sub-department, as we would prefer to style it.

Twenty-eight of the crew of the British steamer Hupeh, wishing to celebrate the 6th proximo. the 400 feet level) have cut new reef, five | Chinese New Year in Hongkong, bave delayed the departure of the steamer for two days owing to their refusal to work. The men were signed on for six months on 31st day to neswer a charge of refusing duty. Mr appointed a Judge. O. D. Malbourne appeared for the defence, mour! They actually paragraph the impression they had only to give twenty- sier No. 3 (over which there has been so cargo of coal for Hongay with a reference | ed from their engagement. Commander to the derisive simile of carrying coals to R. Murray Rumsey said the charge had the publication is that it chiefly relates to (Captain Heotor), and she let Oran on the gagement; it was a charge of refusing duty. squadron. The Maror has some historical imprisonment with hard labour. The crew | perts ; but, after a number of these rifles had interest to our dear friends. Under the lare happy in the hope of spending the New

> Mandolina, Banjos, fine stock. Robin. son Piano Co

NEVER KNEW IT TO FAIL

ANDTHER performence of 1 The Yellow | An the months of Legislative Council con-Dwarf will be given at the gity Hall to. Yound for Wednesday attenuous the finport of the Binance Committee (No. 1) and the Report of the Public Works Committee Law relating to Prisons is us down for first roading. The Bills which passed the first reading at the last meeting of Dounellare not down for the second reading,

Ar the meeting of the Victoria Preceptory held on Thursday night Sir Knight F. D. Goddard was installed as Eminent Praceptor for the ensuing year, Past Eminent Proceptor Cooks acting as Installing Officer. Sir Knight F. D. Goddard afterwards appointed his officers as follows and invested those who were present |-Past E. Preceptor, Sir Knight-D. MacDonald-g-1st-Constable, Sir Knight Geo. J. B. Sayer 2nd Constable, Sir Knight G. A. Watkins Chaplain, Sir K ; ight J. Dyer Ball ; Treasurer, Sir Knight J. J. Bryan | Registrar, Sir Knight W. Farmer; Capt. of the Guard, Sir Knight U. Nervegna ; Almoner, Sir Knight W. Baker; Herald, Sir Knight intelligent and progressive of the high W. M. S. Beede; Standard Bearer, Sir Knight A. G. Aitken ; Organist; Sir Knigh F. W. Hall; Guard, Sir Knight F. Maxwell. After the conclusion of the ceremany the Knights dined together, when the usual loyal and masonle togets were

We are informed that one of the causes of

duly honoured.

the extraordinary demand for houses at the present time is the great influx of refugees from Manila and the Philippine Islands generally. It is estimated that at least 5000 persons are now in Hongkong-European (including Spaniards) and Filipino families-waiting for the settlement of the Philippines, and one row of houses near the Happy Valley is already known as Filipino Perrace. It is evident that the landlords are reaping a harvest, for relate are appreciating at such a ratio all over the Colony that the low-salarled Europeans will soon have to herd with the Chinese. The bitter outcry of the low-salaried Europeans (Government servants, as well as/the general community) was raised in vain protest some three or four years ago, when, in order to maintain unimpaired the incomes of absentee landlords, their Hongkong agents first began the system of rackrenting which is now becoming a feature of Hongkong life. Unless something is done -and, of course, nothing will be done by our Unofficial representatives in the Legislative Council, as they are all more or less interested in property—the Government and foreign population of Hongkong will have to face a very serious problem. Probably the first stop will be a Government proposal for a further increase of salaries for the Civil Service, and if such a proposition is made the Unofficials dare not lift up their voices in protest poly in the bands of a few, some scrupulous, some very otherwise, and the screw is being Europeans an opportunity of living in should be to induce people to build their own houses, and in this connection the those who contemplate becoming their own

## REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL!]

LONDON, 26th January, 1899. THE UNITED STATES. The Washington Senate has resolved to

take a final vote on the Peace Treaty on

THE UNITED STATES AND THE PHILIPPINES. Opposition against imposing American rule on the Philippines is on the increase in the United States.

BYE-ELECTION.

Mr William Keswick, partner in Messrs

WITH regard to the actual contents of Dosaffirmed that the reason for shrinking from promised 500,000 or 600,000 Lebel rifles, to be manufactured at Châtellerault under the been furnished, Ruseis, in her own factories, converted her old rifles into weapons not identical with, yet closely resembling, Lebels. When, later on, France adopted her latest type of quick-firing cannon. Russia asked for the drawings and plans, but this was not accorded. Russin was asked to wait for three years, and to bind herself to order in France all the guns necessary for the rearming of her whole artillory. This, according to R R JOHNSTON, RAWALPINDI, the French estimate, meant an outlay of the Eays:—I have personally tried 225,000,000 frs. Russia replied that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Districts ber finances did not allow of this Remedy, and have given it to travellers outlay, and that having excellent gun who are passing through a hotel I managed, factories of her own, she would not expend and a mount say I never knew it to fail, abroad so enormous a som: which might Kaiserin Augusts, Athenian, late de Cola. It has reclique I ten recommend, and one sumulate and enrich her own industries. als de Lugon. Monmouthables St. Encel that greeybody about Loop.

Columbia

Commondation.—Changaia Don Juan de medicine a sea or Lyangery Diarebost. Staff. The secret doctor is believed to make a contain and a contain proofs of such attempts, but proofs in the proofs. TO STATE OF THE ST

## PRAGRANT WATTER! MURMUR

That the Committee of the Ball given by the Cerman community in the presence of their Royal Highnerson the Prince and Princes of Prussis, have perhaps been over-modest over the brilliant anthoring hold in the City Hall on Wednealay night.

That the arrangements for misch were oxcollent in each department, and nothing lacked to make the ball our of the most successful of the season.

That yext to the blaze of diamonds, the ladies and their dresses, and the fine display of gold lace (and swords), came the decorations of the entire suite of the City Hall rooms.

That whoever was responsible for this part of the work deserve the very highest commendation.

That the devices were naturally mostly of a distinctive German alguificance, together with several prominent and appropriate reminders of the close family connection between the two Royal houses, Guelph and Hohenzollern.

That the 'open door' was entered by some neven hundred guests, and the hospitalitwof our German friends was well tested although the atraining must be very much greater ere it ever can reach breaking research -I am, &c.,

That one among the devices shown was very happy, as it represented the idea of the 'open door' from a Far Eastern point of view.

That some writers, speakers, and others might take a bint from this design—the flage of Germany, Great Britain, the same aquare (or 'street'). That the reason why those tings were found

in neat combination over a very topen

door leading to the Ball-Room was not hat as I have given the reason and no cossity for such a combination so often, It need not be repeated. That, all round, and without giving names, the German Ball was a fitting tribute to the popular Prince and Princess, and

at the same time a graceful Illustration of Hongkong cumaraderie, That the feter and functions held in honour of the German Emperor's birthday have this year been intensified by the presence of Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and

Princess of Prussis That as the Hongkong community are somewhat practical, the presence of the Prince and Princess, whom they have met in bodily form-and the are extremely pleased to have met-the good feelings towards the great Kniser, his Möther, and his revered Grandmother have been quickened on this occasion.

That the above remark has no flavour of 'tuft-hunting,' but the universal feeling is this, that the visit of Prince Henry and his Princess has brought the Anglo German relationship more in evidence than before in this part of the Far East. That it is still difficult to say anything about the situation in the Philippines. That the cumbrous system—however right it may be constitutionally—is trying to all parties on this side the line, as the

ous uncertainty. that where trade is concerned, uncortainly is distinctly antagonistic to progress, and affects all parties concerned

suspension is calculated to breed danger

That everyone who knows about the complicated situation, is convinced that a conflict would be ruinous to all parties concerned—especially to the Philippines themselves, -and every really intelligent well-wisher of the future prosperity of the Islands desires a pacific settlement. Phat it is therefore to be sincerely hoped neither side will be deaf to reason when concessions have to be made on either

That a break between the United States and the actual native possessors of the interior territory of the Philippine Islands would be a calamity, not only for commerce, but for civilisation, That the Filipines should bear in mind

that Protection from outside attack means a great deal more than mere possession of territory inland, and that hostilities (even à guerilla warfare) implies a stoppage of almost all commercial relations. That, as one of the weak snots of Chinesa

administration, we have heard a good deal lately about the West River. That for the past three or four decades it has been generally believed the mandarins in these districts have been either powerless to prevent piracies, or have for more sinister reasons not desired to

prevent them. That the policing of the West River, with the view of the complete suppression of piracy, may therefore prove to be not quite such a simple walk-over as some people seem to imagine.

That it is pretty well known a certain class of officials, some of them not exactly petty, if not actual instigators of piratical expeditions, share in the profits, or become the recipients of modest honorariums to keep their tongues in their cheeks' when the attempted capture of the miscreants is suggested.

That the West River, with its many tributories, is a more than usually happy hunting ground for such cowardly blackguards (official or otherwise), dissembling being easy for the officials, while flight is as easy for the pirates as pursuit is difficult for a gunboat.

That it seems somewhat hard others should not share in the good work, but it would appear Great Britain, as usual, will-be left to pay the (Sand) piper. That I should not wonder but the next campaign of the Sandpiper would open

up the whole question of Chinese administrative reform in South China. That it would be interesting to know if kissing is incompatible with very high character and a very retiring disposi-

the story of the much-o-collated representative of the U.S. Navy by the daughters of Chicago is a mere fabrication, and, apparently, assumes that the possession of the above attributes would render kissing in the manner described impossible. That the assumption may be right, but it is

generally admitted everything is fair in

love and war, and besides so gallant a sailor as the one referred to, keeping in confide in even an editor.

berdment. know that heroism and modesty often go

### CORRESPONDENCE

the investigation of thopical DISEASES.

To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.' Hongkong, January 88.

Sm. - I noticed that as the last meeting of the Legislative Council a num of 228 was voted in aid of the newly-formed School of Tropical Diseases which is connocted with the Seaman's Hospital Green wich—and of the Malaria Investigation Commission; a further sum of £250 to be subscribed toward the same objects next year. It has often struck me that nuch good might be done in this direction in the Colony itself were a suitable institution available.

At Saigon, they have a magnificent bacteriological laboratory which is maintained by the State, in Japan there are similar [more!") establishments, and even at Shanghal there one under the control of the Municipal

In such matters Hongkong has not advanced with the times, and I have even heard it is an open secret that when the first outbreak of plague visited the Colony in 1894 there was not a microscope in the Civil Hospital of sufficient power to define the basillus-or the honour of discovering it might have rested with one of our own medical men, and not been left to out-

There would seem to be a large field in the tropics for the investigation of various diseases, and much good work might be done in Hongkong were the Government to start an institution for bacteriological influence in the Ear East. Russis in the

RUGBY FOOTBALL MATCH.

H.M.S. 'POWERFUL' v. ROYAL WEISH

·FUSILIERS. the standard of play is certainly higher of China, with the Powers. than that of the sister game. The Welshthe Naval team started a dribble, highwayman. which was well taken up by the forwards. This was again very hard lines against the clusion of our confrère :-Welshmen as the ball was undoubtedly

was very hard lines, as he had an almost comprised in the hinterland of Tonkin). then called with the score two goals to love in favour of the Powerful. some good passing among their three-quar-

ters. Wall and White were particularly conspicuous in one piece of work: White finally transferred to Armstrong, who picked up the ball very well, and got over the He was however, held up before he could touch down, and a scrum five yards out was given. The Welshmen then stoutly worked the ball back to the centre of the ground by successive scrums, and just then Navy were not to be denied, and by a very good dribble of Hodges worked the ball back to the Welsh 25, where the ball was to Wall, who got in, after a good dodgy run, right under the posts. He took the placekick himself, but missed the major point. Time was soon after called with the ball in

the centre of the ground. The game was a little rough perhaps, good many minor accidents occurring durng the match. At one time, Commander Ethelston appeared to be getting rid of some of his teeth, but I hope this was not the case. The Naval halves, especially evacuated the same year. Hodges, are much too prone to pick the ball out of the scrum, which should be severely dealt with by the Referee. The Welsh halves were not so good as the Naval, but Williams played well. was very good, and White played a hard game. Sheen had not much to do, and was not fit, really, so he was a great loss to his side. I was much impressed with the play of Lewis, the outside left the Welshmen. He is fast, a very good tackler. The Weish wards are a heavy lot, but could not get the ball in the accum like the Naval men. nor did they break up so quick. however, they get into condition they should be a formidable lot. There is one point in the game that ought to be brought objectionable and certainly irregular habit to study the yellow fever, of a man dropping on the ball and lying there. There is no dead ball now in the It stops forward rushes and dribbles, and tends to make the game slow and uninteresting, which is just what the rule was introduced to prevent. It ought to be penalised by a free-kick whenever it occurs. PUSHER.

MOVEMENT has been started for making That a Northern contemporary learns that | the eastern channel of the Sandy Hook entrance of New York harbour thurty-five feet in depth at low water, so as to provide a straighter and better channel than the one now used. The United States Engineer Board, sitting at New York, is perfecting plans. - A strong mercantile deputation will appear before the House Pavers and Harbours Committe to urgo that Congress should vote the money usoletary for the

That personally however, I happen to sud also to exempt Postel Paronic and use in seed of a good cough selectors. pertification of origin - Rese Chroniste.

### GUNTLE AUDICE!

THE SECRET OF LORD CHARLES BERESFORD'S MISSION DIVULGED

Do you know what Lord Charles Heres ford, entrusted with a mission to Ohina has proposed to the Court as Peking I asks "Oivia" in Le Courrier d'Haiphons.

The secret object of his mission divulged to us by the correspondent of L'Echo des Mines at Hongkong. His Go. vernment has entrusted him with an offe to the Celestial Empire to put itself under the protection of Great Britain Pas davantage / (' Only that and nothin

'Great Britain has before her, in China a duty similar to that she has, with

much success, accomplished in Egypt. These are the memorable words spoken at Hongkong, before his compatriots, l'anglais Beresford,

It is the success of her arms in Egypt, success supported by the feebleness of the French Government, that has inspired such a high idea of the duty of England,

Recent events of which China is the theatre are not reassuring for the Britan north, Germany in Shantung, France in bulks very largely in the returne, was the south, have obtained certain advantages also last year much below the average. that England considers a blow at her interests and what she calls her rights. The yen over the figures for the preceding rights of England, like the benefits of God, cover the whole of nature. Therefore, on The Welsh Fusiliers made their first ap- this principle, her statesmen say that the pearance on the Hongkong football ground | best way to prevent the enterprise of others United States, and Japan hoing in the Jesterday afternoon as Rugby football would be to obtain from the Chinese Gov. layers. The attendance was not large. ernment a recognition of an English Protec-Rughy football is not so well patronised as torate—in other words, to authorise the the Association game in Hongkong, although British Minister, to negotiate, in the name to show such wide differences, There is

The idea is ridiculous and can only men made a very good first appearance, emanate from a disordered brain, for who and for what is virtually a scratch team, would manage the project if it were agreed made a very good show. The Powerful to ? The refusal of the Powers interested kicked off, and play for a long time was to recognise the Protectorate would lead to very level. Then from a line-out the a general war. What could England do Powerful knocked on, and dribbling down, against a coalition of the whole of Europe? touched down after a let of scrambling England, emboldened by her success in play. It was hard lines against the Welsh- Egypt, would like to play the same role in men, the ball certainly having been China. We reckon that the peace of the knocked on, but not being given by world would only be really assured when the Referee. Sheen kicked a good geal Europe at last recognised the necessity of from the place-kick. Shortly afterwards, treating England as a policeman would a

The correspondent of L'Echo du Mines The ball was taken down nearly the whole sends from Hongkong to his journal new length of the ground, and finally rushed sensation! Here we cannot do better over and touched down by the Naval team. than cite, in this connection, the con-

'In the meantime, Great Britain has ockicked at least three times by forwards cupied Weih iwei, she annexes Canton, by standing offside. Wall converted the try Kowloon, and we can add news that will into a goal by a good kick. The Welch | cause a sensation (perhaps) in Europe—it team then had a look in, and from a good is this: The English are going to take the pass from Evans, Lewis made a good run Chusans! Do not ask me where I got this and grounded the ball over the line, only, fact. The French ought to reply by sondunfortunately, it was the wrong line, being ing a garrison to Chungking, the capital of the captain was waited on by the 12 yds, penalty line at Association. This | Szechuan (the best province in China and | representative of who offered to buy, certain try had he gone on. Half-time was Our excellent Consul, M. Haas, on a great should be all trained to cry, Buy occasion, told us : "M. Doumer could do The second half, the Powerful always that on a sign, and he is the man to take the ship some few days later the parrots had a little the best of it, and there was the responsibility of such a step, when it is prested his appearance with a designitude

Believe me. Central China will belong to Tonkin whenever they think fit to send a few French regiments there. The hour of partition is approaching; God grant that France may not be the last to recognise the inevitable. Lord Beresford has not come were playing very well. However, the for nothing; there will be some decisive step taken shortly. Veille: ?

The Chusan Islands are situated in the smartly gathered by White, who transferred Blue Sea (?), on the coast of the Province of Che-kiang. They dominate the entrance to the Yangtsa-kinng and the route to Japan. It is estimated that they have 250,000 inhabitante. The English held them in 1840-41, and returned them to China in 1846. They were occupied again in 1860 by the Angle-French army, but

> [The cat being now out of the bag; to diasemble would be useless! Let us hope 'our dear friends' will not strike another Fashoda at Chungking !- En., O. M.]

> BRINSMEAD & Allison Pianos, the very best value.-Robinson Piano Co.

Professor Grassi is said to have discovered the bacillus of malaria fever. The professor has a bacteriological laboratory at the hospital of Saint Esprit, Rome, and has, therefore, good opportunities of studying the subject. The bacillus is thought to be the parasite of an insect belonging to the mosquito family. We may add that the American surgeons. forward in Hongkong football That is the Gaddings and Wasdin, have gone to Havana

THE New York Herald, having collated the game, and it is distinctly against the rules. opinions of 532 newspapers, representing every party in every states, points out that only twelve are conspicuous as being noncommitted on the question of expansion. while the majority against that policy is only to be found in the South. It is in the West that the Imperialists are the strongest, standing in the proportion of two to one. Even in New England there is a majority in favour of expansion. The Republican newspapers favour Imperialism in the ratio of five to one, the Independents approve it to the extent of two to one, and the Democratic organs oppose it at three to one. In view of these facts, the ratification of the Peace Treaty by the present Senace scems quite probable.

IT IS REMARKABLE.

CIATE MR W. WILSON, THE PO-PULLE Chemist at Rawarenni and mind the odium attaching to those who The Yokohams Chamber of Compherce has Munner, How Chamberlain's Cough kiss and tell, would be scarcely likely to received information with regard to the Remedy has attained a prominence in this decree of 20th December to the effect that district, and though it has only been in-That no ordinary man, much less a sailor, the decree in A amended form is to give troduced a few months it has taken the upless protected by all the appliances of validity to certificates of origin attested by lead. From remarks made by my customers a modern ironclad, would be found Her Majesty's Customs, Mayors, Magnetrates who have used this remedy. I am convinced proof against such an attractive bom- or Chambers of Commerce at ports where that it pessesses exceptional qualities. there is no Japanese Consul de corriere, never heutate to recommend it to all who Shipmonts under for pounds (210) is raise Columnia and Corne Research to the from the necessale of being socompanies by the averages. File 20 cer. to 21

## TRUTAL REPLACE

The following no los is issued from the Observatory less

On the Sath at 11.35 a.m. The harding ter has fallen on the China court, partie gularly in the North. A shallow low meet sure area seems to be lying between the E. const of China and Japan, and high pressure covers Central China. Gradients mos derate on the count, rather steep with strong monsoon in the N. part of the China Sea. Forecast !- fresh N. winds ; fine,

### KOBE'S TRADE.

ROHAMA BEATTH BY SEVEN MILLION YES The prediction made last year that the total trade of Kobe would show a consider. able excess over that of Yokohama has proved correct, the returns now indicating that Kobe's trade exceeded that of Yokohama by almost seven million yen, Kobe has thus become the leading commercial port in Japan, though its exports do not as yet equal hose of Yokohama. It appears that the exports from Kobe during last year amount. ed to Y. 60.119,645, and the imports to Y. 198,193,798, making a total o 198,253,442. Yokohama'a exporta

were  $\mathbf{Y} = 80.312.835$ , and imports 111,024,140, making a total of Y. 191,336,975 The large excess shown by the trade of Kobe over that of Yukohama is accounted for by the falling off in the export of raw silk from the latter port by almost 14 million ven compared with the previous very but it must be remembered that the export of rice from Kobo, which usually The export of outton yarn from Kobe in 1898 showed an increase of six million year, copper an increase of Y888,000 and matting of Y710,000, while in the imports there was an increase of Y15,290,000 rice, Y2,810,000 in raw cotton. Y2,030,090 in sugar, and Y780,000 in citcake. The Pushin Nippen, from which we take this information, remarks that Tokahama's trade returns fluotuate according to the silk market, while the trade at Robe is more general and therefore less than likely little doubt in the mind of our contemporary that now Robe has taken the premies position the advantage will not only lie retained but increased from Year to Year. Kobe Chroniole.

THE Baroness Burdett-Coutts is said to be. worth about £4,000,000, and her income is set down as being close upon £500 a day. For a merciless critic command us to the unsuccessful anthor.

THE volume of tonnage launched from the shipyards of the world during 1898 shows the largest yearly aggregate in the whole history of shipbuilding, the grand total being no less than 2,210,169 tons, against 1,467,271 tons for 1897. The contribution of the United Kingdom towards the whole is :- Launched from the private yards. 1,601,595 tons : from the royal dockwards, 73,090 tons; making a total for Great Britain and Ireland of 1,674,685 tons, or an increase upon 1897 of 548,094 tons.

A well-known shipowner in Leith tells a story which illustrates the extreme vigour with which whicky firms were wont to push the sale of their blend. Some time ago there arrived in Leith a large trading vessel whose captain had engaged in a 'spec' on his own secount by bringing over some lifty parrots. The news of this rather unusual kind of cargo soon got to be known in Leith, and within an hour or two of the ship's agrival at a big price, the whole lot of parrots on condition that within a given time they whicky. The captain readily closed with this offer, and when the buyer returned to scream of Buy --- 's whisky, The terms of the contract of sale boing thus duly implemented on the part of the importer the buyer took delivery of them, and had such one placed in a beautiful gilt cage, the whole consignment being forthwith dispatched to Liverpool for distribution among the public houses there, as the firm were then concentrating their forces on that city.

### Exchange. HONGKONG, January 28, 1899.

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Dale of Longitude



THE HONORONG AMATEUR DRAMA

will give Three Mare Performances of the KHE ARTTOM DAYBL'

T.O.NIGHT (CATURDAY), 28th Jan , at 8.30 p.m. WEDNESDAY, 1st February, SATURDAY, 4th February,

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Half. Price to Soldiers, Sallors and Police In Uniform to the Pit. The Ticket Office Opened on the 26 January, at 10 a.m., and will Continue Open each day from 10 s.m. to 4 p.m. 1 ste Trams to the Pesk. H. C. NICOLLE.

Acting Manager. Hongkong, January 23, 1899

## To-day's Advertisements

THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE Application for Registration of

TRADE MARK.

NTOTION is hereby given that MITSUI IN BUSSAN KAISHA, Carrying on Business at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and elsewhere as Merchants. have, on the 20th day of January 1899, applied for the registration in Hongkong. in the Register of Thabh Marks, of the Quitioned to keep clear of the Range. following Trade Mark, A carp fish awimming in water with two

fine projecting from each side of it its head pointing to the left and its In the name of Miravi Bussan Kaisha

who Claim to be the Sole Proprietors there-The TRADE MARK has been used by the Applicants since the month of January,

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The heads of two Elephants facing each other with their trunks crossed one over the other. The trunk of the Elephant on the left side crossed over the trunk of the Elephant on the right side, and the trunk of the Elephant on the right side is crossed under the trunk of the Elephant on the left side. On the back-ground of the picture is depicted a rising sun with rays emanating

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No. 5, BICHMOND TERRACE, Apply to

HUMPHER'S ESTATE AND PRESECT Company, Linited. Hongkong, Janu y 28, 1889.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CUMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATUW, AMOY AND

The Co.'s Chartered 9.8, Captalo LEHMARR, WILL be despetabed for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 80th Inst. at 10 a.m. For Bretcht of Pusses apply to DOUGLAS LAPBAIK & Co. General Manager

House Jours & 1890.

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To-day's Advertisements

CATAGET TOLIS RECLAMATION GROUND PRAYA WEST TO:NIGHT (SATURDAY), 28th January, 1898,

GRAND OPENING NIGHT D'ARGE NEW MARIONETTES.

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The Gorgeous Transformation Scenes. The Fairy Cascade of Real Sparkling Water E c. Etc.

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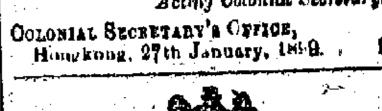
Plan at the Robinson Plano Co. Hongkong, January 28, 1899.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION,

TT is hereby Notified that the Hongkong VOLUNTEERS & III FIRE 7-POUNDER R.M.L. and MACHINE GUNS on a Land Range Roro a Regular Bay, on FRIDAY, the 10th February, 1899. Pioqueta will be posted to ensure safety of Lind Range. All Ships, Junks and other Yessels are

By Command, T. SERCOMBE SMITH, Acting Colonial Secretary.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. TOTIVE is hereby given that ARTIL. LERY PRACTICE will be carried oral .- A. R. MARTY. out in the Vicinity of Lyomun over Land Ranges between the dates 2nd and 0th February, in a Southerly direction, and ina South Westerly direction.

All Persons are hereby warned to keep olear of the Range, when Firing is going on. Gunners will be placed on picquet to prevent People crossing the Ranges, and the THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE Ground will be cleared previous to Practice by parties of Gunners detailed for that All Persons are warned not to touch any

unexploded shell. By Command, T. SEROOMBE SMITH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 27th January, 1899.

PUBLIC LECTURE. Two Uniquene standing one one hind leg | THE Honourable JOHN BARRETT, late United States Minister in Siam, has Fausang, for Amoy and Portland, Or.

kindly (co sented, at the request of the in the middle and between the Honokone ODD Volumes Sourery, to de-Unicorns. Under the two Unicorns liver an Address in the Sr. Andrew's HALL on WEDNESDAY next, the 1st February. at 5.15 p.m., upon 'The Situation in the Far East as affected by the results of the

The Meeting will be of A to the Public and Ladies are specially invited. ---HENRY E. POLLOCK,

Hon. Secretary, Hongkong Odd Volumes Society. Hongkong, January 28, 1899.

NOTICE. -

E. LADY BLAKE, will be 'AT HOME' on THURSDAYS, Februand 35 Chinese; for Singapore, Mr Mertens ary 2nd and 16th, from 4 to 6 p.m. Bailey, L. S. Tiemann, W. H. Devine, 9 Hongkong, January 28, 1899.

RACE BOOKS FOR SALE.

TOROGRAMME of the HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB RACE MEETING, 1899, with Lists of Entries, Winners, and Stables entered and Memoranda Pages,

The only Edition of the RACE BOOK re- garel; from Nagasaki, Mr Fontaine. For cognised by, and Published under the Singapore: from Yokohama, Mr Paul Frintzel; from Woosung, Capt. and Mrs. direction of the STEWARDS of the JOCKEY CLUB, is issued by the Undersigned. No Edye, and Mr Richards For Port Said : Edition reliable unless bearing the imprint from Shanghai, Mr S. D. Severbieff; from of 'NORONHA & Co.'

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Hongkong, January 27, 1899.

FOR SHANGHAI The Steamship Loonamoon.

Captain F. rouviz, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the lat Petruary, at 4 p.m. This Sceamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second-class Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. 241 sea, clear weather.

Hongkong, January 28, 1889. Not Responsible for Debts.

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Lodd. — Master. NOW ON BALE INDEX

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London ..... Malagos (e) .... P. & O. S. N. Co.... About Feb. 0. Manila ...... Change a (8) ....... Butterfield & Swire Feb. 1, at mon. Weeilles, London, &c. K. makura Miru (a) ... Nippon Yusen Kaisha Feb. 2, at 4 r.m. Nag saki, Kobe & Y'ma Rauette (6) ..... P. & O. N. N. On .... Feb. 4, at 4 p.m. Wiki M'ji, K'beck V'ms Entami Maru (a).... ippon Yusen Kaisha Feb. 7. nt 4 p.m. New York, v. Suer Can: Parhan (a) ...... Dodwall & Co., Ltd About Feb. 2. New York, v. SnezCa ant Commonwealth. (a) ... Shewan, Tomas & Co Jan, 81, at 5 p.m. New York, v. Suez Can Indrani (s) Jardine, Matheson&C. About Feb 20. Portland, Oregon ..... Fausang (s) .. ...... Dodwell & Co., L mited Jan. 29 at moon, dan Diego v. Japan... Varmarthenshire (4) .. Butterfield & Swire .. About Feb 24. San Francisco.......Queen Margaret ....... Shewan, Tomes & O Quick despatch.

S. Francisco. v. Japa. China (a) .............. Pacific Mail S. S. Co. Feb. 18, at noon. S. Francisco, v. Japan Hongkong Maru (s)... Poyo Ki-an Kalaha.... F.b. 7, at noon. Seattle, Washington .. Kinshiu Maru (s) ..... Nippon Yusen Kaisha Jan. 80 at 4 p.m. 231 Shai, N'ki, K'bá&Y'ma Sydany (a)...... Messageries Maritimes About Jan. 29. Shanghai Loongmoon (a) ..... Siemssen & Co..... Peb. 1, at 4 p.m. S'pore, Penang & O'at Cathorine Apoar (s)... D. Sassoon, Hons & Co. Jan. 31, at 3 n.m. S'tow, Amoy & T'too . Vanyang (a) ..... Douglas Laprais & Co Jan; 30, at 10 a.m. Tacoma (Wash.), &c.. Viotoria (s)........... Dodwell & Co., Limited Feb. 14, at noon,

ARRIVALS.

January 27.

Chihli. British ateamer, 1,185, Newcomb,

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Saigon Jan, 23, Rice, -Signasen & Co.

Tetarioz, German atr., 1,548, T. Dosler,

Peohili. British etcamer, 881, J. Johns,

Fushum, Chinese steamer, 1,504, W. H.

Hongkong, French atr., 732, Bastian,

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DEPARTURES.

January 88.

Eidwold, for Singapore and New York,

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PASSENGERS.

Por Fushien, from Shanghai, Right Rev.

Per Hongkong, from Haiphong, 2 Euro-

DEPARTED.

Per Tokio Maru, for Thursday Island,

Per Wakasa Maru, for Yokohama, Mesars

Per Indus, from Hongkong: for Saigon,

Mesers B. Michel, F. Sailer, J. Rouget,

and servant, Messra Debonlet, A. W.

Japanese and 2 Chinese; for Marseilles,

Mr G. Steiner, Mr Garces de Marsellai

J. Franaga and 5 children, Mr L. Sainz,

Mrs T. Sainz and child, Mr and Mrs V.

Martinez and 3 children. Mr and Mrs J.

Domenech, Lieut. M. G. Marthe, Messra

J. Pastorin, B. Muniz, and F. Cartejon.

For Saigon: from Kobe, Mr Bour-

Yokohama, Mr Wehrle; from Nagasaki,

Captain Parenogo, and Mr Serebrenikoff.

Bellin ; from Kobe, Sister Bernardine.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Taisang reports

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From Saigon to Hongkong, heavy N.E.

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240 Mr Ceresole, and Mrs T. Nakayama.

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MAILS will close:-For CANTON,-Per Fatshan, at a a m., on Sunday, the Tuisning, British steamer, 1,548, W. F. 28th January... Bawer, Saigon Jan. 22, Rice, JARDINE, For PADANG.-

Per Ale, at 2 a.m., on Sunday, the FRIDAY, February 3!-"29th January, " FOR HONGAY .-Por Ebani, at 8 a,m., on Monday, the 80th January.

Per Proponitie at 11 s.m., on Monday, the 30th January. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO. Por Nantung, at 1 p.m., on Monday, the 20th January.

Lunt, Shanghai Jan, 25, General, -C, M. Per Kinshin Mamt, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the 80th January. Por Chinain, at 8 p.m., on Saturday, tho 4th February. For MANILA .--

Per Esmeralda, at 4 p.m., on Monday, the 20th January. For RWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANG. Per Chow Tal, at 8 a.m., on Wednesday, the 1st February.

For MANILA, PORT DARWIN, THURS COOKTOWN. DAY, ISLAND. TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYD-NEY & MELBOURNE.-Per Cha gaha, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 1st February.

For NAGASARI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Rosetta, at 3 p.m., on Saturday, the 4th February. FOR NAGASARI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA HONOLULU & SAN DIEGO.— Per Carmarthenshire, at 10 a.m., on

Saturday, the 25th February. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL Per Catherine Apear, at 2 p.m., on Tues-

day, the 91st January. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CO-LOBBO. Per Kamukura Maru, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 2nd Kebruary.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Preussen will be descatched on WEDNESDAY, the 1st February, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindin; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Bormah. Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta,

&c., &c. Registry ceases at 7 30 a.m. The mail closes at 8 a.m. Late Letters from 8.10 to 8.30 a.m.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET .and daughter, Mrs Roux Guy, Mr and Mrs The United States Mail Packet Gaelic will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 1st February, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu. Peru, &c., which will be closed as

follows:--00 P.M. Registry ceases. 5.00 P.M. Post Office closed, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-For Marseilles ! from Shanghai, Mr Camille British Contract Packet Bengal Revel, Mr. and Mrs Sennet, Consul Ed. will be despatched on SATURDAY, Aparicio, Messrs Eudes d'Endiville, Delapthe 4th February, with Mails for the lanche, and Gollety; from Yokohama, United Kingdom, Europe, and coun-Consul and Mrs Rigo and child, Colonel tries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Arisoka, Mr Friburg, Major Jeto, Messrs Straits bettlements, Netherlands India. Pareto, Repenn, Mr. and Mrs Gros, and Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Giliraltar. Circularant B ..m. Registration at 10.30 a.m.

Papers at 10.30 a.m. Letters at 11 a.m. Late Letters at 11.10 to 11.30 a.m.

The British steamer Chilli reports: Ex-MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL perigaced strong monsoon and dull weather. WAY Co.'s PACKET. The Chinese steamer Fushun reports The Canadian Pacific Mail Packet Empress Strong N.E. monsoon, with high following of India will be despatched no WED.

NESDAY, the 15th Feh., with Mails, for Shanghai, Japan, United States. follows:--10.30 ... Registry ceases. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but Corres.

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MEMOR, FOR TO-MORROW Bhipping. Monti-Paylong letyes for Rorlighd. (O<sub>1</sub>), (a)

MEMOS, FOR MONDAY. Thinning. 10 a.m. - Nanyang lasves for Swatow. 6 p.m. - Kinshin Maru leaves for Seattle, Washington.

5 p.m. - Emercica leaves for Mantia. Meetings. Noon -Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steam. boat Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central.

4.30 p.m .- Annual Meeting of the St

John's Cathedral Church, at the St. Paul's College. 9 p.m.-Meeting of Eothen Mark Lodge. Miscellaneous.

Goods per Tonkin unclaimed after Noon. this date, subject to rent. Goods per Manila not cleared after 4 p.m. subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

-Noon .- Meeting of Shareholders of the Rowloon Land and Building Co., Ld., at the Company's Offices, Victoria Transfer Books of China Provident Loan and Mortgago Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 17th February, both days

8,30 p.m. - Performance of the A. D O. Pantomime, at City Hall Theatre, THURSDAY, February 2:-Goods per Wakasa Maru not cleared after this date subject to rent.

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SATURDAY, February 4:-Register of Shares of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, closed from this date to the 18th Behrnary both days luclusive. WEDNESDAY, February 8:-

Noon. Meeting of Shareholders of the Ins Co., Litd., at the Company's Offices. Peddor Street. FRIDAY, February 17 :-Noon,-Meeting of Shareholders of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage

Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office, No. 8, Praya Central SATURDAY, February 18:-Noon,-Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong and Shanghel Banking Corporation, at the City Holl.

Quoti tions. HOREKONE, Jan. 29, 1899. OPIUM-Now Patos, cash, ... 810 osah, ... Nom. New Benares, cash, 815 Old . cash, ... Nem. New Maiwa, credit ... 730/73 Allowance, Taels, ... P/32 Last Year new, ... 780 Allowation, Taols, ... Nom. Old Malwa credit, ... 740/78 Linwaren Tasla ... 99 Parsian, Paper tied 8/16 Allowance Taels ... Nom.

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New Testament. The gist of the first chapter may be summed up in the Cornich motto ! One and all. His Excellency, after the approved Chinese fashion, quotes ancient authorities efforts of any one sincers and able man. whose heart is in his work. let him be scholar, an official or a common man. How much greater then the results of the united efforts of all the officials, scholars, and peopio of the empire! Let them apprehand | be?). the difficulties and dangers to which the State is now exposed, and attack them in the same (cautious) way as a man grasps

ice and treads on fire, and they could establish the empire on a firm foundation. The masses | would honour their parents and respect their elders. Teace would reign. Wisdom would increase. Everybody would be courageous. Government the throne firm.

tenching of the Sages. The history of tianity, but I presume, does upt include Perdos. Case. China during 3000 years is scanned, and China in his estimate. no objection to this rule can be discovered. Coming to the days of Ham Fung, A.D. 1851, the author points out how the different rebellions which have convulsed China have been suppressed, and peace restored through the virtue and beneficient in fluences of the ruling dynasty, whose plans were inspired by the gods. Indeed, it may be seserted that the orthodox teaching has produced able mon, and these sometituted the nation's power a statement which is proved to the hilt by the history of each succeeding flynasty.

Many desire to help the present dynasty in this time of transition, and their plans are three. They say, first, we must preserve the State; secondly, the budy doctrines; lasily, the Flowery Bace. These three are intimately connected and to save the State. the religious, and the race there must be unity of heart, Flow can the race preserved ! By increasing knowledge. Hence the necessity of orthodox teaching. How can knowledge be increased ! By torce. Hence-the recounty of a standing army has been resuscitated; and proceedings, will B. C. and CC are excellent dinner Wines The wisdom of scloping such a consec is be resumed at the Supreme Court on Monevident when we study the history and day at half-past ten o'clock. The special conditions of Workern Nature Markett Jorors who have been somethoused are stomache. Dand E are after-dinner Wines medanism is destitute of all sorpor princip. Mesers L. Martin, H. M. Mehts. J. S. Van ples yet because the Cortage Server Shi Burger, W. Poste, W. R. Loxiey, W. H. furious in batile, Molisumwilener is yet Potts and C. A. Tomes. (26 Monday week preserved. Un the other hand, Hundbista, Le appeal will be heard in the share case, though it is not destitute of courses prince Hardoon of Bellios, which occupied the plos because india a vest; has parted at attention of the Court for some tame;
spreamer from their transfer of the court for some tame;
Ancient Street at an I is were subject of the Report Lead for the callways parted.

The publication of this time commenced strailed Capitalina Manufic and the lates The sections as Desirated the the season Fereil then pean openin Blomber the teaching of the Bayes in whose footstape they have followed. The foundations of our dynasty are doop and firm ! Heaven its solt has protested it. Auppose now the advice of the Western peoples were followed and China word divided, like a water melon. these holy dostrines though high and His Excellency Chang Chile-tung some beautiful, could not be carried into prestime ago wrote and published a Ohinese tice. The Classics would be thrown saids work in two volumes, which may be like a bit of worn-out rush-matting. Those bought at any respectable native book. Who hoped for literary degrees and preseller's for a law cents. The title of the ferment would no longer bedeck them. book may be rendered. An Exhortation solves in China's official head-dress and to Learning. Already, we are told, more robes. Wily and crafty men would become than 200,000 copies have been sold. The pastors, comprederes and secretarios. The common adition is got up very indiffer unaducated would hire themselves as merently; it is disfigured by misprints and consry soldiers, artissus and labourers. written in a style so high, that we ven- The more degraded they became, the more ture to say the majority of even moderately stupid they would be, until after a time well-aducated Chinese cannot intelligently | they would end themselves in poverty and

ern Ocean. They would become life-long slaves," and were they to seek to escape would only hisolve themselves in severer

Rather, then, in view of all this let us exert ourselves to stir up sincerity and bepavolence among our people. Let us seek lessly biassed or imperfectly informed, the throne and reversuos the gods of grasp of 'Things Western.' On the other importance. Let those who administer the hand, he deals with the follies, ignorance. Government inform the Emperor on all and ineptitude of his own countrymen with a matters and focus thought to broaden his hand as unsparing and a satire as trenchout influence. Let the Consors speak out and as Erasmus dealt with the ignorance of the criticise fearlessly. Let the Provincial Dark Ages, when Bishops, seculors, and rulers consider how they may provide suffimonks were dragged out to judgment and cloub rations for an efficient army. Let hung as on a public gibbet, in his Greek | the officers of the army understand that the principle of alama is the force to

impel soldiers to fight. Let the masses love and honour the Emperor, and he prepared to die for their rulers. Let the scholars, standing like trees in a clump, to prove what wonderful results follow the devote their powers to the understanding of the business of the times, then, -Emperor and mandarins being of one heart, scholars, farmers, artisans and traders united in energy—then cometh the Chinese Millennium I (When shall these things

It is interesting to note that the Vicercy insists on an army as the first thing necessary to the country's salvation. Lord Charles Beresford, in his address in the City Hall, seemed to point to the same conclusion. The first thing China needs

is a standing army. Chang Chih-tung's contention seems to be that China must have compulsory education and religion. would be invincible. Then during such | We saw in a recent periodical, that an Enghalcyon days there would be colleges for lishman in the days of James I. forfelted oulture; able officials would flourish; the twelvepence to the poor, each time he throne would be illustrious and the people | absented himself from Church on Sundays, full of resources. Nay even in times of and if he stayed away one month, he paid danger the people would be energetic and \$20 to the king. When the Viceroy refers to the religion of ancient Greece, does he It may be proved from Chinese history mean that Greek philosophy permeated the (of which many examples are quoted) that | early Greak Church through the influence from the times of Confucius until to day, of the Greek Fathers ! Hardly. Perhaps when the teachings of the Sages were he has an eye on Russis and means to studied, understood, and practised, the imply that though the ancient religion of State became powerful. The same history Greece has disappeared, the Greek Church. proves that the different dynastics fell yet lives, as China has reason to know. only after ther had departed from the He gives a fair share of the world to Chris-

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ARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Conrel-212 ATTON will be held at the City HALL Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 18th day Sebruary, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1898. By Order of the Court of Directors,

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